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#### What Puzzled Her.

A suffrage meeting was drawing to a close. The speeches had all been made, and the meeting was thrown open to the audience.

Said the presiding officer: "Now is there any woman here who would like to ask a question? Don't hesitate to ask any question you'd like to any question at all, about any phase of the woman question."

For a few moments there was silence. Then a woman arose and asked: "May I ask any question at all?"

"Certainly," said the speaker persuasively. "What question would you like to ask?"

"Well," said the woman, "I'd like to know how you got that smooth effect over your hips?"—Ladies Home Journal.

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#### SENATOR SENTER OPPOSES SPECIAL SESSION

SEN. E. G. SENTER of Dallas was in Snyder Monday on insurance business. Mr. Senter has served his people faithfully and well in the State Legislature and though now leaving his time to his business, he is still interested in state politics. He is opposed to a special session of the legislature at this time. He says it will cost \$50,000 to \$75,000 and in his opinion will not accomplish the object set out as wanted. There was plenty of time at the regular session to have provided for majority nominations and will be plenty of time at the next. To spring the question now, while candidates are already in the field is unfair. If the purpose is to have one primary, then should no candidate get a majority, there would be no nomination.

In order then to insure a party nomination, there would have to be a second primary. That would have to be paid for by somebody, and Mr. Senter thinks it should come to some persons or interests putting up the money, we might as well put the office up for sale at auction. He is in favor of going on with the regular primary and let the plurality man have the nomination.

Barred Rock eggs, pure strain, 50c per setting of 15.

C. C. BRACKEN

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Mrs. Latham Indicted.

The Scurry County grand jury got down to work Monday afternoon and before night had returned a bill of indictment against Mrs. Minnie Latham on charge of murder in connection with the killing of John Y. Stewart in Snyder on January 20.

The accused woman was arraigned and her trial set for March 25. She was placed under a new bond in the sum of \$10,000. Her attorney, Judge Wright was present as was also her local attorney, W. S. Payne. Judge Cunningham, another of her attorneys sent a request to have the trial set for a later date, because of some other appointment he had, but Judge Thomas said he was not shaping his court solely to conform to other district courts.

It seems to be a current opinion that the woman's attorney will seek to obtain a change of venue for their client. The state will be represented by district attorney, J. P. Simpson, county attorney, H. W. Webb, and Higgins & Hamilton.

It is a strong array of legal talent on both sides and it will be a court fight worth seeing.

We want your egg business.  
C. NATION & SON

The rebel government in Mexico has refused to honor the requisition from Gov. Culquitt for return of stock stolen by Mexicans on this side and also to surrender the murderers of Vergara.

Let us fit you with spectacles.  
WARREN BROTHERS

J. Wright Minor was in Monday from his ranch and paid the signal a substantial call.

Wall Paper at Warren Brothers

Fifteen Texas rangers have been sent to the Texas-Mexico border to protect the lives and property of the people there.

#### NOT IN ALL THINGS GROSS

Mechanical the Age May Be, But It Has the Best of the Spirit of the Past.

Open, says a veteran theater manager, is a mechanical age, in which man and his intellect are the human factor, to originality, individuality and the spirit. (Once is, indeed, a mechanical age, but it is not an age that dispenses with charm, beauty and the things of the spirit. To the broader vision—like that of Wells—a mechanical age is an age "set free," an age that has more time for study, contemplation and right living. There is no reason why vulgarity and gross materialism should capture the wonderful mechanical devices of the age; and there is plenty of evidence that "the spirit" is busy trying to utilize the same devices. Automatic players have brought music and good music, too, into tens of thousands of homes in small towns and rural districts. The movies are doing wonders. They will make "dry" studies attractive. They will steadily elevate the standards of popular entertainment, annexing the spheres of romance, adventure and beauty. Our mechanical age enables polar explorers to take music along with them, but has it killed the spirit of polar exploration? Our age has given us aeroplanes, but has it destroyed the spirit of the airman? Is our age deficient in courage, benevolence, appreciation of natural wonders and the finer accomplishments of man? Knowledge and invention shall make us freer, and freedom from too monotonous, grinding toil will make us more truly human, more truly social and civilized.

#### FOUND PACE TOO STRENUOUS

Father Had to Have Rest if He Was to Continue His Companionship With Son.

"Could you spare me?"

As the father spoke, his once handsome figure leaned forward slightly toward the boy who sat before him, while his hands trembled nervously.

"My boy," he continued, "about a month ago you introduced me to the 'like-father-like-son' idea, which is now spreading over this country, and which, formulated by eminent educators, simply means that all fathers shall make companions of their sons, so that an intimate relationship shall ensue. Have I done this with you?"

"You certainly have," replied the boy, twirling a semblance of a mustache.

"And now I ask that you spare me for a time."

The boy smiled.

"But, my dear comrade," he replied, reproachfully, "we are just beginning to understand each other. The whole idea of the 'like-father-like-son' movement is that it be continuous. I must say, however, that you have been a dead game sport. What do you want to quit for?"

In reply the kind father, summoning all his control, said, gently:

"Believe me, I don't want to quit, but the fact is that since you and I have been thrown together I have smoked so many cigarettes, played so much poker, danced so many new-fangled dances, raced over the country in so many autos that I thought if you didn't mind I would take a couple of weeks off in some good sanitarium and I can gather strength enough to go on with the growing friendship between us."—Life.

#### Tobacco Fools Bears.

As a safeguard against attacks from angry bears, a veteran trapper recommends tobacco in the pockets.

He ran into a big cinnamon, coming down the trail at full speed. The bear struck him in the pit of the stomach with his head, throwing him into the underbrush and sinking his teeth into his thigh. The bear's teeth were settling deeper, and he had almost given up when the bear suddenly let go, sat up on his haunches and began to strangle, much like a dog with a bone in his throat. He continued the performance for a few seconds, then rose to his feet and started up the mountain as fast as he could travel.

The trapper discovered a plug of chewing tobacco in his pocket had been ground to a pulp and mixed with the animal's saliva. The tobacco had evidently made him so sick that he was glad to let go.

#### Order for Horse.

A large engineering firm recently received an order from Russia, and, although the receiver of it had a fair knowledge of the language, there were two words he was unable to translate. Somewhere in the works, however, a real Russian was employed. They brought him along and he read the letter carefully, but was still puzzled by these two words.

Literally, he explained, their meaning was "hot stockings," which seemed absurd, but was presently seen to be the nearest known Russian synonym for "Sex horse."

#### Forged Antiqua.

Arabic enameled glassware is prized as one of the most productions of the glassmaker's art. Damascus is the principal point for the discovery of Arabic antiqua, and undoubtedly much of it was made in that city in ancient times. But United States Consul John D. Whiting, at Jerusalem, has discovered that the business of manufacturing forgeries of the genuine article has assumed large proportions in Damascus.

#### SOME APPROPRIATED EX-PRESSIONS FROM FRIENDS

Our good friend John Weller called around at the Signal shop Monday and showed his date forward for other year.

Mr. W. H. Hardin called around Monday with the coin of the realm and had us start him the Signal again.

G. M. Garner, who can sample a paper with as much certainty as he can sample cotton, says the Signal is the best newspaper that has ever been published in Snyder.

Charlie Lockhart says his wife wrote him from St. Louis in says that the Snyder Signal is the best paper she ever knew published in Snyder, or else she appreciates it more since she is away from home. The Signal appreciates such a compliment coming from a lady of Mrs. Lockhart's literary attainments. She knows a good readable, dependable newspaper when she sees it.

A card from Jim Chinn who is ranching at Marfa, Texas, right down close to the Mexican border says he has missed the Signal for two weeks and there is apt to be trouble about it. The paper has been mailed out regularly and we don't know why it has failed to reach Jim. Maybe some of those Mexican thieves got hold of it. We'll look the matter up. If Wilson and Burleson can't get the mail properly delivered we'll get Gov. Colquitt to take the matter in hand.

For full blood White Plymouth Rock Eggs, see Allen Warren 11.00 per setting of 15 eggs. 37-4t

#### LINTERS NO LONGER COUNTED

Washington, D. C.—Director William J. Harris, of the Bureau of the Census Department of Commerce, announces a change in the method of publishing the statistics of cotton.

The annual reports on the quantity of cotton ginned have heretofore included the quantity of linters obtained by the oil mills. Formerly there was only a comparatively small quantity of linters obtained and they were of such a grade as could be used, to some extent, for the same purposes as were the lower grades of cotton. Many of the oil mills have now installed machinery for the cleaner delinting of seed. This has resulted in a large increase in the total quantity of linters produced each year and, at the same time in lowering the average quality of the fiber, so that now only a small part if any, is used as a substitute for lint cotton.

It, therefore, appears advisable not to include the quantity of linters in the total production of cotton for the crop and, accordingly, the totals in the report to be issued on March 26th will relate only to lint cotton and will not include linters. Information as to the production of linters, however, will be given in a footnote so that comparative figures may be computed on the basis of the reports issued in previous years.

Dominio Nut Coal, especially adapted for cooking. Try it. Phone 124. JIM DAWSON

T. D. McMillan, an old timer who is farming out in the country near Snyder was here Monday. He says the other day he ran across a wolf's foot in a steel trap, something he had not seen before. It is said that a wolf will sometimes gnaw off a foot when caught in a trap.

If you want the choicest meal and grain fed meats, patronize the new market on the northeast corner. 37-4t WATKINS & GLEN

The Signal regrets to have to report Mrs. T. J. Thompson quite seriously sick this week.

What is Golden Rod? It is 30 pounds ground corn, 20 pounds rich bran, 20 pounds molasses, properly mixed. 1-3 cheaper. Why? Because it is nutritious. For sale by your grocer. 28t

Mrs. W. A. Watkins made a pleasant trip to Post Monday.

#### \$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one avoided disease that anyone has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hilly's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known in the medical literature. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hilly's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and neutralizing all of the causes, therefore destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength to build up the constitution and asserting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have no such stock in the curative power of their cure. One Hundred Dollars for each cure that it fails to cure. Send the list of testimonials. Address: Hilly's Catarrh Cure & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all druggists. The Scurry County Health Post for correspondence.

## CATARRH OF THE

Is Liable to Produce Catarrhal

CLARENCE BOWMAN.



A Case of Catarrhal Deafness.

Mrs. Wm. Bowman, R. F. D. 1, Coon Rapids, Iowa, writes:

"Some time ago I wrote you about my little boy, Clarence, five years of age. He was troubled with his ears. They were very sensitive to the touch, and he was quite deaf at times. He seemed to be worse after catching cold. I had taken him to doctors, but they did not seem to be able to relieve him, and I was very much afraid he would lose his hearing entirely. He was getting more deaf every day."

"I wrote to you for advice, and you prescribed Peruna. I began giving it to him, and can now say that he is entirely cured. He is now well and hearty and can hear perfectly."

**Catarrh Causes Many Diseases.** Many diseases are caused by taking cold. A cold is very likely to settle in the nose, causing nasal catarrh. It may settle in the upper part of the throat, called the nasal pharyngeal space. In this space are two little tubes called eustachian tubes, that lead to the middle ear.

If the catarrh settles in the pharyngeal space it may follow the mucous membrane through the eustachian tubes into the middle ear. If it does it will cause noises in the ear, and later on be sure to cause deafness.

Catarrh of the throat may follow the eustachian tubes up into the middle ear without causing much concern on the part of the patient. The par-

list loss of hearing is looked. A person is hearing before he knows.

For instance, suppose he hears his watch four feet from him, but he can only hear the tick watch two feet from the ear he may not suspect it at all. His hearing is good enough for ordinary purposes. He goes on without the slightest suspicion that he is losing his hearing. He may have ringing in the ear, or crackling and snapping sounds in the ear, or a feeling of pressure in the ear, but he is not aware that he is losing his hearing.

#### Testing the Hearing.

It is a good thing to test your hearing with a watch. First hold the watch against your ear, then move it gradually away from the ear and see how far away from the watch you can actually hear it tick. Try it on the other side and see if both ears are alike. If you find that you are unable to hear the watch on both sides alike and at a distance of four feet from the ear, you may know that deafness has already begun. You should begin taking Peruna at once. Gargle the throat with cold, strong salt water, as directed in the "File of Life," sent free by Peruna Co., Columbus, Ohio. Persist in this treatment until a cure is effected.

#### The Best Way to Gargle.

Sometimes catarrh of the nasal pharyngeal space will cause an accumulation of secretions in the throat, that completely fill the space. Unless these secretions are promptly removed by frequent gargling, polypus may be formed. Once formed the polypus or adenoids, as they are sometimes called, will require a long time with the gargling to remove. Gargling according to the proper method will sometimes remove polypus or adenoids, and no surgical operation is required.

In order to understand exactly what is meant by proper gargling send for a free copy of the "File of Life." During the whole course of gargling Peruna must be taken according to directions on the bottle.

People who object to liquid medicines can now obtain Peruna Tablets.

Wall Paper at Warren Brothers

The Blackwell Bulletin is a sprightly new paper recently launched at Blackwell in Nolan county. Stanley T. Switzer is the raucous and the first production shows up quite creditably. The Bulletin starts out as a West Texas booster. 4m 20

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